

**U.S.S.N. 10/071,620**  
**Gholam-Reza Zadno-Azizi, et al**  
**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**REMARKS**

Any fees that may be due in connection with this application throughout its pendency may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1213.

The specification is amended to correct obvious typographical and grammatical errors. In particular, the amendment to the paragraph on page 2, lines 2-6, of the specification replaces the inadvertently placed word "artificial" with --native-- for clarity. No new matter has been added to the specification section.

The abstract is amended to correct obvious typographical and grammatical errors. No new matter has been added to the abstract section.

In view of the amendments and above remarks, entry of the amendments and examination of the application on the merits are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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